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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE 2 BEFORE THE TRADEMARK TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD 3 4 Application Serial No.: 85/249961 MARK: PowerZEN 5 Applied on: Feb. 26, 2011 Published on: July 26, 2011 6 Opposition Filed on: August 15, 2011 7 8 9 CHANG OH KIM, **Opposition No.: 91201166** 10 Petitioner, 11 ANSWER OF THE APPLICANT TO THE 12 VS. PETITION FOR OPPOSITION PAUL SHIM, 13 **Applicant** 14 15 16 17 Paul Shim (hereinafter referred to as "Applicant"), by and through its undersigned 18 attorney, hereby answers the Petition for Opposition filed by Chang Oh Kim, (hereinafter 19 referred to as "Petitioner"), and admits, denies and alleges, in accordance with the numbered 20 paragraphs of the Petition for Opposition, as follows: 21 22 ANSWER TO PETITION FOR OPPOSITION 23 Applicant is without knowledge or information sufficient to either admit or deny 1. 24 the allegations in the first sentence of the paragraph 1 of the Petition and, Applicant denies the 25 second sentence of the paragraph 1, and therefore, denies each and every allegation therein. 26 Applicant denies each and every allegation in paragraph 2. 2. 27 Applicant denies each and every allegation in paragraph 3. 3. 28

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Applicant denies each and every allegation in paragraph 4.

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1	5. Applicant denies each and every allegation in paragraph 5.				
2	6. Applicant denies each and every allegation in paragraph 6.				
3	7. Applicant denies each and every allegation in paragraph 7.				
4	8. Applicant denies each and every allegation in paragraph 8.				
5	9. Applicant denies each and every allegation in paragraph 9.				
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7	AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSES				
8	FIRST AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE				
9	1. As a first and separate affirmative defense, Applicant is informed and believe	s,			
0	and on this basis asserts that Petitioner has stated no claim upon which relief can be granted.				
1	SECOND AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE				
2	2. As a second and separate affirmative defense, Applicant is informed and				
.3	believes, and on this basis asserts that Petitioner does not have a standing to bring this				
4	Opposition				
5	THIRD AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE				
6	3. As a third and separate affirmative defense, Applicant is informed and believe	es,			
7	and on this basis asserts that Petitioner's claims are barred by the doctrine of laches.				
8	FOURTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE				
9	4. As a fourth and separate affirmative defense, Applicant is informed and				
0	believes, and on this basis asserts that Petitioner's claims are barred by the doctrine of estopp	el			
1	FIFTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE				
2	5. As a fifth and separate affirmative defense, Applicant is informed and believe	s,			
3	and on this basis asserts that Petitioner's claims are barred by reason of its own unclean hand	١.			
4	SIXTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE				
5	6. As a sixth and separate affirmative defense, Applicant is informed and believe	es,			
6	and on this basis asserts that Petitioner's claims are barred by reason of its own fraud and				
7	misrepresentation, intentional and negligence.				

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7. As a seventh and separate affirmative defense, Applicant is informed and believes, and on this basis asserts that Petitioner's alleged Pleased Mark of Trio PowerZen is not owned by the Petitioner.

## **EIGHTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE**

8. As a eighth and separate affirmative defense, Applicant is informed and believes, and on this basis asserts that Applicant's use of the Mark predates the anyone's use of the Pleaded Mark.

## **COUNTERCLAIMS**

No counterclaims are being filed.

WHEREFOR, APPLICANT prays for relief as follows:

- 1. That Petitioner's Petition be denied; and
- 2. For such other relief as the Board deems just and proper.

Respectfully submitted,

LAW OFFICE OF LEE & ASSOCIATES

Dated: September 15, ,2011

Yong Bom (Brian) Lee, Wilson B. Quan, Hyong C. Kim

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1	STATE OF CALIFORNIA				
2	COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES				
3 4	I am a resident of the country aforesaid; am over the age of eighteen years and not a party to the within action. My business address is 3530 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 1280 Los Angeles, CA 90010.				
5	On September 21, 2011, I served the within documents:				
7	Answer to the Petition for Opposition				
8	On the interested parties in the above action, by faxing and mailing a true copy thereof as follows:  Chang Oh Kim				
10	621 S. Gramercy Pl., #507, Los Angeles, CA 90005				
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13	Executed on September 1, 2011, at Los Angeles, California				
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15	[ ] STATE I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct.				
16 17	[X] FEDERAL I declare that I am employed in the office of a member of the bar of Federal Court at whose direction the service was made.				
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